**Career Connection Cadre Sub-Committee Meeting**

**Program Development**

**September 2, 2010**

**Minutes**

**Attendance: Paul Mitchell, Sam Goodwin, Stan Sidor, Michelle Snider, Tom Besaw, Liz Taylor**

1. **Priority Areas Identified**
   1. Coordinate with on the Workforce in Education Council to identify secondary programs/academies to target toward collaboration between workforce, business, and educational partners
   2. Evaluate the following occupational sectors in Volusia County to determine if the Career & Technical Education programs/academies are meeting the needs of Volusia County today and where we want to be five years from now:
      * Manufacturing
      * Technology
      * Health Care
      * Headquarters
      * Aerospace
2. **Action Plan/Timeline**

**a.** Within the next year, manufacturing and health care will be investigated by this subcommittee to align Volusia Schools’ programs and STEM academies with postsecondary institutions with the skills needed for jobs.

**b.** Align secondary program pathways to postsecondary institutions (DSC, UCF, ERAU, and Stetson)

* 1. Identify businesses tied to each STEM strand for partnerships with STEM academy